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LONDON—In the last few days I have been suggesting in this column that the Anglo-American loan agreement is a good point of departure for a new policy, that should have as its aim the positive integration of British and American policy in foreign affairs and strategy, no less than in economics.

I HAVE suggested that, if we could make a success of this policy, it might lead us step by step to an effective merger of the British Empire and the United States under a federal system which might eventually be joined by other countries until eventually a world state had been achieved.

Yesterday I urged that our two countries should pursue similar

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In Luxembourg

General Patton Will Be Buried Christmas Eve

By ROBERT HAEGER

HEIDELBERG, Dec. 22.—(BUP)—

Gen. George S. Patton will be buried on Christmas Eve at Luxembourg, in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, beside fallen associates of his victorious U.S. Third Army.

His widow, Beatrice, selected Luxembourg burial site in consultation with army officers who felt that the general wanted to remain with his troops in death. It was felt that he should be buried in Germany.

Episcopal services will be held for Patton at Heidelberg tomorrow, and again in Luxembourg on Monday.

PATTON WILL lie in the same vault over which the Third Army shoulder just a year ago to smash the southern shoulder of the German offensive against the Ardennes.

Arrangements were made for Patton's body to lie in state at picturesque Villa Reiner here in Heidelberg from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. tonight and from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. tomorrow. There will be no services at 3 p.m. tomorrow at the Central Episcopal church here with Col. Edwin R. Carter, head of the military funeral.

TWO FUNERAL TRAINS will leave Heidelberg at 10 a.m. tomorrow. The first will carry Patton's body to Luxembourg, where it will be buried. The second will carry the official casket to Paris to be returned to Luxembourg on Friday.

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Five in Hospital

After Fire

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—(CP)—Four adults and a 10-year-old child were taken to hospital after being injured in a serious condition, from a fire which started a three-story home burning today in Ottawa.

The fire broke out in a three-story home on the corner of Somerset and Somerset streets, where the fire broke out in a three-story home on the corner of Somerset and Somerset streets, where the fire broke out in a three-story home on the corner of Somerset and Somerset streets.

Fireman Monroe McCormick climbed a sawing ladder to a third-floor window and rescued Mrs. H. Gibson, 38, and Doreen Gibson, 13. Returning to the fire-fighting room, where the husband and wife were still there apparently unconscious, McCormick climbed a ladder and he and Gibson were brought to safety down the ladder by other firefighters.

In hospital were Mrs. James Gibson, whose condition was considered serious; Mrs. Gibson, Doreen Gibson, Henry Gibson, 45, and Doreen Gibson, 13. All suffered no physical injury and shock.

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No Truce Offer

Is Said Received By Chinese Govt.

CHUNGKING, Dec. 22.—(Reuters)—A Chinese government spokesman said yesterday that no proposal for an immediate truce in China had been made by the Communists "officially or indirectly to the central government."

He described as "propaganda" Thursday's statement from Communist headquarters that the Chinese Communist party had made an immediate unconditional cease fire.

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Execution Date Is Set For 'Haw Haw'

LONDON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—William Lord Haw Haw Jones, whose appeal of his death sentence for high treason was dismissed by the House of Lords this week, was executed at Wandsworth prison Jan. 8, it was announced today.

Jones was convicted of broadcasting Nazi propaganda from Germany during the war.

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The Bulletin's Traffic Scoreboard

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To Handle Problems

Permanent Civilian Agencies

For Alaska Highway Likely

A permanent civilian agency to handle all problems concerning civilians and civilian traffic on the Alaska Military Highway may be established in Edmonton in the near future. The Edmonton Bulletin learned on reliable authority Saturday.

The CANADIAN ARMY is taking over control of the highway for some 1,200 miles that it passes through Canadian territory after April 1 next.

Recent conferences in Ottawa among military men expressed the view that civilian affairs should be handled by a purely civilian agency. As a result it is altogether likely that a permanent agency will be established here to handle this problem.

It is thought possible that the present office of Canadian Commissioner for Northwest Defence in Edmonton, headed by L. H. Phinney, may become the agency handling civilian affairs, the highway or the operations of the military.

ACTION ON the mooted civilian agency, along with a gradual taking over of the highway by the Canadian Army personnel, will likely take form soon after the new year.

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For 11 Months

\$608,788 Paid City Treasury

By Two Utilities

A total of \$608,788 in taxes and net profits was paid to the city treasury by the two utilities during the 11-month period ended Nov. 30, 1945. It was disclosed in reports filed Saturday with the city commission by the two utilities.

THE CITY TELEPHONE department, which paid \$280,000 in taxes and net profits, and the power plant department, which paid \$328,788, were the two utilities.

Gross revenue collected by the telephone department during the month period of this year amounted to \$1,000,000, compared with \$780,000 for the same period last year. Expenditures in the 11-month period ended Nov. 30, 1945, amounted to \$720,000, compared with \$650,000 for the same period last year.

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Gen. Franco Still

Maintains Strong Army Says Envoy

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Ambassador Norman Armour, just back from Spain, says General Franco still maintains an army of 600,000 to 700,000 and that one-third of that number are sent to the armed forces and police.

Obviously Mr. Armour told something about the Franco regime is not shifting from totalitarianism to democracy rapidly enough to satisfy the United States.

The 38-year-old diplomat, retiring after years in the United States, returned from Madrid two days ago. State department officials said they plan to fill the vacancy immediately.

"Santa" Dead

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Impersonating Santa Claus, Fred B. Peiper, 40, was shot and killed while passing out gifts at a Christmas party.

Prefer Fluid Battle

"Monty" Declares Canadians

Best at Ortona and Scheldt

OSTENWALD, Germany, Dec. 22.—(CP)—Field Marshal Montgomery, in an interview here yesterday, said the two battles in which Canadian troops fighting under his command during the Second Great War were "at the top of their form" were the grim struggle at Ortona, Italy, in December, 1943, and the clearing of the Scheldt estuary in Holland in the autumn of 1944.

WEARING bleached corduroy slacks and a rumpled blue sweater, the commander of the British army zone sat in his office and talked with Canadian correspondents.

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Gets to Work, Snow or No Snow

Former Treasurer

Radiation Official

Is Held in East

On Fraud Count

TORONTO, Dec. 22.—(CP)—Royal Canadian Mounted Police reported the arrest late yesterday of Carl B. French, Toronto, president of the Ontario Radiation Association, on charges of omitting to make proper entries in company records of Eldorado Mining and Refining Ltd. with intent to defraud.

Police said French, former secretary-treasurer of Eldorado Mining and Refining Ltd., now a resident of Toronto, was arrested at his home in the east end of the city.

French, 40, was arrested by a police squad with accepting secret commission, have been reached by telephone at his Toronto home. French said he had no knowledge of the charges against him by the RCMP. He refused to reveal the amount of bail posted.

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Undercover Movement

Jap Plot to Kill

MacArthur Claimed

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin

TOKYO, Dec. 22.—(BUP)—The first reported threat against the life of General Douglas MacArthur was revealed today by an Allied headquarters spokesman.

THE REPORT WAS GIVEN to Gen. MacArthur by a Japanese military source, in connection with a petition bearing 80,000 signatures asking that the life of Lt. Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita be spared. Yamashita was sentenced to death by a military tribunal for responsibility for Philippine atrocities.

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Eastern States

To Be UNO Home

By R. H. SHACKFORD

LONDON, Dec. 22.—(BUP)—A committee of the United Nations preparatory commission voted after two hours of bitter debate today to recommend that the headquarters of the UNO in the eastern United States.

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Think Bootleggers

Got Alcohol Haul

WINNIPEG, Dec. 22.—(CP)—Police investigators yesterday obtained a haul of 1,000 gallons of overproof alcohol today was carried in a truck by a bootlegger preparing to supply a Christmas market.

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B. C. Asks Double

Of Present Grant

VICTORIA, Dec. 22.—(CP)—While B.C. now receives from the Dominion government \$120,000 in lieu of income and corporation tax revenue, it was learned yesterday that if the Dominion met the province's proposals to the federal-provincial conference, there would be almost double the amount.

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Toronto Motorist

Hits Traffic Cop

TORONTO, Dec. 22.—(CP)—Struck by an automobile as he directed traffic last night in Central Toronto, Constable W. Wright, 26, suffered a fractured skull. Police arrested Arthur Benson on a charge of driving.

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Hurt in Collision

GRANBY, 1018 B. avenue, suffered a bruised leg Friday evening when he was knocked from his bicycle after colliding with a car driven by Russell Gibson, 900 111 street, who was driving at 40 m.p.h. and struck him.

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Finnns Blamed

LONDON, Dec. 22.—(Reuters)—The Finnish was responsible for the deaths of many Allied seamen in northern waters, and he participated in the sinking of the ship "HMS" in the North Sea.

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Must Go to War if Soviets Seize Areas, Says General

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin

LONDON, Dec. 22.—(BUP)—An Ankara dispatch from the London Times correspondent today quoted Gen. Kazim Karabekir, Turkish army commander in the War of Independence, as stating that Turkey must fight if Russia persists in her territorial claims.

HE TOLD THE Turkish assembly that he had been told by the Turkish government that Turkey must fight if Russia persists in her territorial claims.

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Census Reveals:

66 of Every 100 Edmontonians

Now Own Their Own Homes

Sixty-six out of every 100 of Edmonton's population own their own home, according to a census of residential buildings taken by the city assessor's office, the result of which was released Saturday by Thomas Walker, city assessor.

AT ROYAL ALX.—

Nurses to Get

Salary Raise

In New Year

Royal Alexandra Hospital nurses received a Christmas present from Edmonton Hospital Board of \$100,000 in the form of a salary increase of 10 per cent in the new year, effective Jan. 1.

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Film Comedian

Took Time Out

To Kill 2 Japs

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 22.—(AP)—Joe E. Brown, the actor, took time out from entertaining thousands of fans at the National Theatre last summer to kill two Japanese, Mr. Gen. Robert S. Bleigher reported.

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10 Below Likely

Highest Saturday

A bitter winter wind that howled through the city Saturday night and Sunday morning, forecasters said the weather was even colder than Friday's recent low temperature of 23 below. Weather of five officials stated however that the weather would be in the 10 to 14 below, the reading at 8:30.

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Asks Vets to Use

'Out-of-Work' Pay

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—(CP)—Veteran Minister Mackenzie last night appealed to unemployed veterans to register with the National Employment Service and to use the "out-of-work" benefits to which they are entitled.

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Levant Military

Talks Are Held

CAIRO, Dec. 22.—(Reuters)—The first meeting of the Anglo-French military authorities took place in Beirut yesterday, the reports here last night. Discussions are continuing with military problems involving the withdrawal of foreign troops from the Levant, it was learned.

Vital Parley Problem

Control of Atomic Power

Key to Big Three Harmony

By HENRY SHAPIRO

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin

MOSCOW, Dec. 22.—(BUP)—British and American delegates to the Big Three foreign ministers' conference took up with Soviet Russia today the question of control of the atomic bomb.

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Deaths

Recorded Today

Edon, Mrs. Ada C.
Kubert, Mrs. Grace Mildred.
Muller, Mrs. Maria.
Wagner, Mrs. George.

Hon. Angus Macdonald

Exploits of Canada's Navy
Are Praised By Ex-Minister

By A. MERREL

HALIFAX, Dec. 22.—(CP)—The work of the Royal Canadian Navy throughout the war "should ever be a source of great pride to the Dominion," Premier Angus L. Macdonald said yesterday in an interview with The Canadian Press in which he reviewed some of the factors that entered into the determination of Canada's naval policy during the five years he served as federal minister for naval services.

WHEN HE WENT TO Ottawa by train last week, the situation from the standpoint of the Allied nations was at a pretty low ebb. Mr. Macdonald said. France had fallen, and Britain was in imminent danger of being overrun.

Even when this danger was felt to have been removed, it was regarded as extremely doubtful by competent advisers whether or not the shipbuilding establishments of the United Kingdom could continue to function in the face of repeated attacks from the air.

AS LATE AS the spring of 1942 a leading United States naval authority expressed the belief to him that Canada alone could not sustain the war.

The day-by-day developments in the Atlantic struggle helped to strengthen the two convictions that Canada alone could not sustain the war. That both these convictions had borne fruit was a source of great pride to him at the time.

EVERYTHING that happened in the building of the Royal Canadian Navy had been foreseen, he said, and he was convinced that it faced

with the same problem again he would not predict what he had done. It was known, for instance, that the cost of building destroyers in Canada would be greater than the cost of building them in England. It was also known that it would take longer to build these ships in Canada than in England because the work was new to our people. Nevertheless, in the circumstances, he felt that the decision to build them in Canada was right.

PREMIER MACDONALD said the RCMV was a glorious record which began on the very first day of the war and which has continued even to the present time.

"Where so many are so deserving, it is difficult to apportion properly the praise. The convoys did magnificently, as did the minesweepers and the torpedo boat flotilla, so too did the frigates, Fairmiles, destroyers and other types of ship."

"PERHAPS THE ONE DAY of even more importance than any other was D-Day, where more than 100 Canadian ships were engaged, and where our losses were negligible. The most significant single incident in and around D-Day was that of the 10th Destroyer Flotilla, which included four Canadian Tri-

Gen. Ike's First Visit to the White House as Staff Chief



This is the first visit to the White House to see President Truman by Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower since he succeeded Gen. George C. Marshall as chief-of-staff of the U.S. From their expressions, the visit was most pleasant and very cordial.

Today in Europe

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policies in defense and, in particular, preserve the organization of the combined chiefs of staff. Co-operation between the two countries in foreign policy is a long essential, but here again we find the path beset with all sorts of difficulties.

Under compulsion of the common impulse for self-survival, and largely through the personal friendship of President Roosevelt and Winston Churchill, the British Foreign Office and the U.S. State Department succeeded for the most part during the war in working harmoniously together. Co-operation in the top extended all down the line, and even today we see relics of that co-operation in many capitals.

Notable examples are in Moscow, Rome, Belgrade and Dublin, where the representatives of Britain and America, realizing how identical are the interests of their countries, are working as teams.

Unfortunately, since the death of President Roosevelt and the departure from the State Department of Edward Rostow, there seems to be a tendency in Washington to abandon the policy of co-operation which proved so fruitful in wartime and which, in the opinion of this writer, are every bit as necessary in these days of uneasy peace as they were in the days of battle.

Secretary of State Byrnes seems to have the idea that, before any meeting of the Big Three, he enters into any discussion with the British Foreign Office, he will consult the Russians and make them think that Britain and America are "ganging up" against them. This, of course, is a fallacious view. The interests of Britain and the United States coincide in every respect, and it is not possible to pursue a joint policy.

THE FACT THAT THERE has been no effective prior discussions between the State Department and the Foreign Office before the London conference encouraged Molotov to try and force a wedge between the two countries. It took four or five days for the American delegates to realize that the Russians then took place between Byrnes and Berlin, as a result of which, for the remainder of the London Conference, British and American delegates were at a disadvantage.

The resulting delay made it impossible to finish the job this week and Marshal Grene, supervising the shooting, has returned to the States for the holiday. He will be back shortly after Christmas.

Byrnes' neglect to consult before this most already has produced one unfortunate result, which may be a handicap to the Moscow talks. One of the reasons for the breakdown of the London Conference was Molotov's sudden attempt to cascade France from the discussions. Berlin resolutely opposed this and he was supported by Byrnes. The latter has now changed his mind, but Berlin still is determined that no decision which affects the interests of France shall be taken in the absence of a French delegation.

As a result, Germany and Italy, where there are a dozen angry nations awaiting decisions, will be discussed in Moscow but are excluded from the field in which decisions may be taken.

ALL THIS MIGHT have been avoided if the State Department had had preliminary discussions with the Foreign Office before putting forward their proposals for the present conference.

Hemingway Divorced

HAYASA, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Author Ernest Hemingway was granted a divorce yesterday from Maria Gellhorn, also a writer, on grounds of abandonment. A Havana court accepted Hemingway's contention that his wife "voluntarily abandoned" their home in London for 15 consecutive months. The suit was uncontested. The Hemingways were married in Wyoming in 1926.

Communists Ask

China Armistice

By SPENCER MOOSA

CHUNGKING, Dec. 22.—(AP)—A Chinese Communist spokesman at Chungking said Friday his party would not object to writing, or to a proposal for an immediate, unconditional armistice in China's internal war, with both sides "free" in their own positions.

The Red spokesman said Gen. Chou En-Lai, of the Chinese Red delegation had formally requested the truce proposal be forwarded to President Chiang Kai-Shek.

"We want an armistice," the Communist spokesman said. "We consider our proposal as ending the formal, but as the government wants it in writing, we are going to oblige."

THE VERBAL PROPOSAL was announced by Communists when Gen. Marshall, new United States envoy to China, stepped from his plane at Chungking. The two sides were indications that both sides are prepared to make genuine concessions in efforts to end the strife.

A government spokesman acknowledged today that if the Red truce offer were put into writing "it would be considered in a different light," and realized that as long ago as 1941 the government had proposed cessation of hostilities.

But He Knows Now

"Monty" Never Heard Of Toronto University

TORONTO, Dec. 22.—(CP)—In a dispatch to the Toronto Globe and Mail from Osterwald, Germany, Ralph Allen told today how Field Marshal Sir Bernard Montgomery revealed that until now he had never heard of the University of Toronto.

"THE FIELD MARSHAL" disclosed he had been asked to accept an honorary doctorate of science at McGill University during a proposed Canadian trip next summer.

Allen wrote: "McGill is a very famous university. I am strongly convinced that this is a very great honor they have offered me. I understand it is your outstanding university. Am I right?"

TWO CORRESPONDENTS, both native to Toronto, admitted usually under gaining primordial unity. At length, one of them said stammering: "Well, sir, the University of Toronto is pretty good, too."

"Well," said Monty, "Well!" Behind the easy geniality of his tone the authors already recorded the voice that had rallied an empire to battle from Alamog to Berlin.

"Toronto? Toronto?" he added reflectively. AND SUDDENLY he spoke again, with all the asperity and gauding unctious of the oldest grand old man.

Blast Kills One

MONTREAL, Dec. 22.—(CP)—One man is dead and three others are in hospital as the result of an explosion and fire yesterday in a laboratory of the east end refinery of the Shell Oil Company of Canada, Ltd. The dead man is M. Duchesne, 41. The others are C. Montpetit and D. Marston suffered injuries.

Good King Wenceslas

Good King Wenceslas looked out On the Feast of Stephen,
When the snow lay round about,
Deep and crisp and even.
Brightly shone the moon that night,
The frost was cruel,
When a poor man came in sight,
Gathering winter fuel.

"Hither, page and stand by me,
If you know'd it, telling,
Bring me pine logs hither.
Where and what I dwell in?
When we hear him bellow,
Underneath the mountain,
Right against the forest fence,
By St. Agnes' fountain."

"Bring me flesh and bring me wine,
Bring me pine logs hither.
Toss and I will see him dine,
When we hear him bellow.
Puff and monarch forth they went,
Forth they went together,
Through the rude wind's wild lament,
And the bitter weather.

"Sive, the night is darker now,
And the wind blows stronger,
Falls my heart, I know not how,
I can go no longer.
"Mark my footsteps, good my page:
Tread them in the snow:
Thou shalt find the winter's rage
Freeze thy blood less coldly."

In his master's steps he trod,
Where the snow lay drifted,
Heal was in the very cold,
Which the saint had planned.
Therefore, Christian men, be sure
Wealth or rank possess,
Ye who now will bless the poor
Shall yourself find blessing.

Appoint Officials

Of Rubber Company

MONTREAL, Dec. 22.—(CP)—

Herbert E. Smith, chairman of Dominion Rubber Company Limited, Thursday announced that at a meeting of the board Paul C. Jones was appointed vice-chairman and C. C. Thackeray was appointed president. Retirement of William A. Edson was also announced. Mr. Edson will remain on the board.

The war is over, but there remains an enemy at home which will not be defeated until the last germ is dead. Tuberculosis killed nearly 4,000 Canadians last year. Do your part to help stamp out this disease by buying Christmas Seal.

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District News in Brief

Advices Careful Study Community Centre Plan

LACOMBE.—"Careful study" should be given the question of a "community centre," Lacombe, secretary-treasurer of the Alberta Adult Education Association, Edmonton, advised Lacombe residents at a general meeting here this week.

Mr. Bercuson urged caution in planning the centre, so that new buildings may complement those already erected as the centre grows. The principal aim in erecting a civic centre, Mr. Bercuson thought, was to engage in as many activities as possible. He pointed out that the more activities dealt with, the more community-wide interest the civic centre would hold. Mr. Bercuson said that Lacombe was fortunate in having a town block available for a civic centre. The speaker was introduced by C. D. Williamson, who outlined the community centre plan to the meeting.

A LARGE CROWD gathered at St. Andrew's United church recently to attend the GCTF vespers service. Miss Alice Henderson, department president, was in charge. The girls entered singing "The First Nowell." Two impressive tableaux, directed by Miss McKay and Miss Mendenhall, illustrated the Christmas story.

Glean McDougall read the scripture and Joyce Burton led in prayer. The story "Gold, Frankincense and Myrrh" was read by Mrs. Madson, and as a special number, Rita Woodrow, Susan Willis, Lois Wilson, Lorna Park, Margaret Saunders, and Kathleen Kangleme sang "Infant Holy." Miss Henderson, Miss Terre and Mrs. Wood led a candle-lighting service.

Stage Yule Party For Ex-Servicemen

GRANDE PRAIRIE.—Seasonal decorations formed a background for the Stages Club's Christmas party for servicemen and ex-servicemen. A large crowd dined to the music of Tibbitt's orchestra.

Two-Town Christmas party Wednesday was marked by attractive decorations and "jive" music, contributing to making that first gathering under the new executive a rousing success.



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Community Plans For Welcome Home

PONKA.—Program for the "welcome home week" designed to give a hearty greeting and a good time to all service personnel in this district, has been outlined by officials in charge.

Sunday, Jan. 6 will see all church services arranged in a welcome home spirit. On Jan. 8 the veterans will be guests at a motion picture in the Empress theatre, together with their wives and children. Highlight of the week will be a dance Friday for which local women will prepare a buffet luncheon.

The event is being sponsored by the Town of Ponka in conjunction with the Community War Chest.

Ends Rail Career As Veteran Agent

VETERAN—Major and commander of the village of Veterans for the last 20 years, A. W. Thoroughgood recently punched his last ticket, as railway agent here after a career that started at Stettler and ended up at his present location.

Born in December, 1880, at Yates Centre, Kansas, Mr. Thoroughgood came west as a young man in 1903 and was married at Lacombe by the Rev. William Hamilton to Beth Stewart. He moved to Veterans in 1913 and has taken an active part in local curling and golf activities. He is a keen gardener and a member of the Concession Lodge 72 A.F. and A.M. In addition, he is a member of the Board of Directors of the Veterans United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Thoroughgood will continue to reside in Veterans.

Carriers' Banquet Held at Red Deer

RED DEER.—Annual banquet for the carriers of the Red Deer and Lacombe districts was held in the Red Deer hotel here this week. W. W. Poe, circulation manager of the Edmonton Bulletin, and J. K. Lowe, wholesale agent for the newspaper at Red Deer, and Wilson Halbert and Donald Woods.

Red Deer carriers in attendance were: Victor Pedregal, Reg Gillespie, Chesley Gregg, Stuart Kellington, Howard French, Peter Kirkham, Jim Kennedy, Vincent Gibson, Dean Hall, Jack Curson, Vic Swan, Ron Jones, and Dennis Sveinsson.

Lack of Interest In School Union

VERMILION.—Educational affairs of this town have passed into the hands of the larger area school board after the non-appearance of a petition calling for a general plebiscite on the agreement of amalgamation between the town school board and the larger area board.

Last year on which the petition could be presented was Dec. 19. Only about a dozen ratepayers from the town and larger boards attended a meeting called earlier in the year to discuss the agreement, and the opinion of these persons appeared to hold strong favor for the amalgamation.

Hockey Executive Hurt at Lacombe

LACOMBE.—Jimmy Watt suffered foot injuries last week when a truck passed against his interlock. One small bone was broken and muscles painfully bruised. As a result of the accident, Jimmy, who coaches the Lacombe Athletics, has been out of the line-up. He hopes to be back on the ice and in uniform for the week-end.

Ex-War Prisoner In City Hospital

FERINTOSH.—Clayton Hanson, former prisoner of the Japanese in Hong Kong camp, is under treatment in Edmonton for illness contracted during his incarceration. He has gained 34 pounds since his release.

Will Remove Trees From Rail Crossing

LACOMBE.—A request that trees be removed from the vicinity of the railroad crossing near Hayman where a life was lost last fall, was dealt with by the Municipal District of Lacombe at the regular meeting last week. The request, made by Canadian National Railways "to improve vision" of trains or cars approaching the crossing, was granted, and the trees will be removed in the near future.

Held Gift Service At Lacombe Church

LACOMBE.—Annual White Gift service at St. Andrew's United church was attended by a large congregation. The junior choir entered the church singing carols and in procession. After the service the Sunday school children placed their gifts in a manner. These gifts were sent later to the All Peoples Mission to be distributed to less fortunate children. Special music was supplied by the junior choir.

Reach Canada

CAMROSE.—Recent arrivals in Canada from overseas are the following: Mrs. M. Camrose and daughter, Mrs. J. Daley, Duhamel; Mrs. J. Daeschner, Camrose; Mr. G. J. Mitchell, Bitter Lake, Alta.

Thrilled by Sight of Snow



It's an ill wind that doesn't satisfy somebody. While most people shudder when they woke to find the streets covered with snow, these girls from India, students at the University of Toronto school of nursing, were thrilled at the sight.

"It's beautiful," they chorused. The native girls, who by Mrs. May Aster Jandu, right, and her sister, who appear incongruous in Canada, but she was anxious to try the sport. Her friend, Mrs. R. Lyangar, went along to watch.

Many Pay Tribute To Late General

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—President Truman today sent the following message to Mr. George S. Patton who was with her husband when he died in Germany:

"Mrs. Truman and I extend our deepest sympathy to you in the passing of your distinguished husband. The entire nation, to whom his brilliant career has been a constant inspiration, has suffered a great loss."

WAR SECRETARY Patterson Sent Mrs. Patton a message saying the loss of her husband "is a heavy blow to all of us" which he added will be felt by the nation and the army and by the millions of Americans who so highly admired his magnificent leadership and brilliant accomplishments throughout the war.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, chief of staff and Gen. Patton's superior during the European campaign, issued a statement saying:

"He was one of those men born to be a soldier, an ideal combat leader whose gallantry and dramatic personality inspired all he commanded to great deeds of valor. His presence gave me the certainty that the boldest plan could be even more daringly executed."

"It is no exaggeration to say that Patton's name struck terror at the heart of the enemy."

LONDON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Prime Minister Attlee last night sent the following message of condolence to Mrs. George S. Patton, Jr.: "Deeply distressed to learn of the tragic death of your husband. Please accept my sincere sympathy in your sorrow."

Pearl Harbor Probe Adjourn Over Xmas

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—The Pearl Harbor congressional committee laid aside its inquiry for Christmas recess today. The committee will reconvene Dec. 31 and go on with the navy story of the Japanese attack.

Admiral Turner, 1941 chief of navy war plans, asserted that the top officers here anticipated a possible Japanese blow in 1941, got the fleet "prepared for war" and "ventured clear action orders." He charged Admiral Husband E. Kimmel, Pacific Fleet commander, did not comply with those orders.

HAD ADMIRAL KIMMEL complied with instructions to take deployment measures, Admiral Turner contended, damage to the Hawaiian base would have been "materially reduced."

"And there was a good chance we could have inflicted considerable damage on the Japanese fleet," he added.

Admiral Turner was chief of the Navy's war plans division. In this post, he drafted orders which were sent to Admiral Kimmel under signature of Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations.

The Chinese knew the Christmas festival as Ching Dan Jueh — the Holy Birth Festival. Their Christmas tree is called "Tree of Light."

J. J. Mary Davidson, Tpr. L. V. Turner, Fortitude.

Jobless Exceed Posts Offered By Over 95,000

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—(CP)—Canada's unemployed workers registered at national employment offices exceeded unfilled jobs by over 95,000 at Dec. 7.—An increase of some 24,000 compared with two weeks previously—the labor department reported last night.

THE DEPARTMENT said the overall manpower situation in Canada at Dec. 7 showed 98,843 positions open with 194,523 workers seeking employment through national employment service offices. The figures compared with 102,000 employment openings and 173,000 workers seeking jobs at Nov. 23. Of the jobs listed available at Nov. 23, 26,000 were for women workers, 20,000 for skilled and semi-skilled workmen and the rest for other types of male labor. The Quebec region showed the greatest need for workers with 17,321 openings.

"PLACEMENTS of woods workers during November was delayed due to heavy snowfalls and inaccessibility to camps," the department said. "However, the placements are now on the up grade and, as soon as the holiday season is over, a large movement into the woods camps is anticipated. It is expected that logging operations and pulpwood camp operators will have a record cutting for 1946."

On the prairies, there were 24,000 job-openings, with 31,000 jobs to be filled.

Although some housing projects were held up by shortage of materials, recent mild weather had made progress on other fronts possible. THROUGHOUT the region as a whole, 2,800 loggers were needed and fewer than 1,000 were available. Orders for woodworkers for northwestern Ontario camps have been greatly reduced, and in Manitoba and Saskatchewan the farm labor service had no outstanding orders for bushmen. It was expected, however, that many more woodworkers would be needed throughout the region as soon as weather conditions permit hauling operations.

In British Columbia slightly more than 7,000 vacancies were listed with National Employment Service offices at Dec. 7, and almost 24,000 miners and women were seeking employment.

PACIFIC COAST shipyards were continuing their gradual reduction of staff. In the southern interior the completion of seasonal activities in the fruit packing plants had resulted in the release of about 100 men and women. There is a continuing heavy call for certified mechanics and welders for hard rock operations, in which there was little response.

Gets CPR Post

VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 22.—James Cherrington, a graduate of the University of Alberta, has been named district engineer for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Vancouver, B.C. He succeeds W. G. Dyer, whose appointment as district engineer of track for the CPR with headquarters in Montreal, was announced earlier this week.

Clashes Reported On Dane Frontier

LONDON, Dec. 22.—(CP)—The Moscow radio last night broadcast a "Tass dispatch from Copenhagen saying 'clashes' involving British and Danish frontier troops have occurred on the Danish-German frontier since a German lieutenant who said he was attached to British troops was seriously wounded. No other casualties were given.

No comment was available immediately from the war office here nor from official sources in Copenhagen.

THE BROADCAST, recorded by the Soviet monitor, said "a number of clashes took place... caused the fact that the British troops do not permit the Danes to search the luggage of soldiers of the German army who are sent from Denmark to Germany."

A former senior lieutenant of the Hitlerite army, Gerhardt Martin, who categorically refused to open his luggage cases, maintaining that he was a signals officer attached to the British troops, the radio added, "The Danish frontier guards were compelled to use arms. The German Martin was seriously wounded."

The broadcast said the Germans consider themselves under a "state of special protection" and do not wish to submit themselves to the demands of the Danish frontier troops.

"Six Danes, Danish frontier troops confiscated several tons of foodstuffs from German soldiers and officers," the radio added.



Not in the sense of custom only, but with genuine appreciation of our pleasant association, we extend to the many members and friends of the A.M.A., our Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas, and may the Happiness and Good Cheer of the Holiday Season be Yours Through all the Year.

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The lights go on again

SEVEN years have passed since the Christmas lights shone brightly on the world. To millions of men, women and children, death from the skies was so over-present that even the story of a Christmas candle might have been futile. Yet, a miracle, Christmas was forced to hide itself.

And if, over most of Canada, the Christmas lights still shone through undraped windows, their glow was dimmed by a shadow no less real. As each terrible year added its sum of departing thousands, few indeed were the family circles left unbroken.

But now the scene has changed. Instead of departing to zones of war, Canada's sons are returning to a land of peace. To thousands of Canadian homes, Christmas 1945 will be the hoped and prayed for re-union—the consummation of long, painful years of waiting. To many more it will be a time of thankfulness that husbands, sons and daughters, through absent still, are soon to return.

And some there are in Canada—relatives of the fallen—who will see in Christmas a symbol. If men must give their lives, let it be for that children the world over may laugh again in the glow of the Christmas lights.



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Christmas Services in the Churches

"Worship All Ye Faithful"

Christmas Throughout the Ages Indeed the Holiest of All Days For the Entire Civilized World

By E. R. HORTON

Almost two columns of the comprehensive Encyclopedia Britannica are devoted to an erudite, scholarly discussion on Christmas and its origin, two columns filled with references to sagas, now obscure, who trace the holiday to heathen rites, and who by implication, at any rate, deny that ever a choir of angels sang the world's first carols to simple shepherds on the Palestinian hills.

"FOR UNTO YOU IS BORN this day in the City of David a Saviour, which is Christ, the Lord," announced the angel to appear before the humble shepherds of their flock, until he was joined by the angels of the heavenly host praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the Highest and on earth peace, good-will toward men."

The words are clearly written in the gospels, and from the moment the celestial beings lifted their voices in that triumphal chant, the birth of Christ was proclaimed. It was the birth of a new era, the birth of a new world, the birth of a new age. It was the birth of a new era, the birth of a new world, the birth of a new age. It was the birth of a new era, the birth of a new world, the birth of a new age.

IT HAS BECOME A DAY for forgetting and forgiving, a day in honor of the Nativity of Him, who said "Whosoever shall receive the Kingdom of God as a little child shall in no wise enter therein."

There is no other day in the year when lovely, homelike hearts are more lonely, no other day when happy ones are more homesick, no other day when the security of home, family and friends is so dearly missed.

Long hours of preparation are necessary for the observance of the day. In the home, there are Christmas trees to be set, evergreen boughs to be decorated with wreaths and boughs, and the busy green and red which are the season's hues.

KITCHENS are redolent with the savory perfume of the season's delicacies. Even in these days of economy, spicy cakes and cookies are prepared long in advance, the dressing for the fowl, without a holiday would lack much of its traditional brilliancy. The hostess's own pleasure in the warm draught from the oven.

But the day is not of more than holiday—it is one of those Christmas days which find their true meaning in the classification of "holy day," since it marks for nearly all who follow Christ's teaching, the day upon which God first offered Him to the world.

There is an ancient story which opens with "I came upon the midnight clear, that glorious song of old, with angels which in olden times heard to earth to touch the chords of gold."

AND IT IS AT MIDNIGHT that most Protestant and all Catholic churches commence their observance of the holiest day in the Christian calendar.

Weeks of preparation are here reflected soon. Into their Christmas sermons pastors generally put many hours of prayerful concentration, that their message be timely and well-learned, and that it reach, and touch the hearts of men with the true meaning of religion.

Organists and choirmasters too have no less life. They know that it is their duty to provide the proper setting, and they know that the beauty of their music is the proper background for the minister's words.

THE VOLUNTEER singers who make up the choir in the city have spent many hours learning, rehearsing and rehearsing the proper pitch, the proper phrasing, the proper make of the old familiar carols live again.

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TODAY'S MESSAGE

By THE RT. REV. W. F. BARFOOT, M.A., D.D.

"I Wish That God May Give You A Happy Christmas"

CHRISTMAS is preeminently the festival of the family and the home. Never before in the long annals of the human race have so many families been scattered as during the past six years of war. This Christmas-tide will find literally millions of those families reunited after years of separation. The restoration of sons, brothers, fathers and husbands to home and loved ones will surely mean abounding happiness.

But the Christmas message is not alone for those who have been happily reunited in peace and security. If that were so it would but increase the sorrow and suffering of the millions whose homes have been destroyed and whose families will never be restored here on the earth. Christmas speaks the same word to all men everywhere. "Behold I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord." Let us now go even unto Bethlehem and see this thing which is come to pass. And they came with haste and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger. That is to say, they found the Holy Family. In the finding of the Holy Family they discovered the secret of peace—the key to the world's happiness—the clue to the world's salvation. All this they found in the manger.

The Christ-child is God's gift of love. A love of which the best human expression is the good home—the place above all others where sacrifices are made without counting the cost; where gifts are given without thoughts of return; where faithfulness and loyalty reign. Unfortunately, it is also the place where evil may have its most dire consequences. The Christ-child still holds the secret which alone can save the world. If we put ourselves in His hands, He can heal aching hearts, give courage to bear pain, bring together those who have drifted apart, take away suspicions and ill-will. He can save the family threatened with dissolution. He holds the promise that a sense of brotherhood, of understanding love, will some day encompass the earth. No one else can do this.

I wish that God may give you a happy Christmas.

GO TO CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

Plan Candlelight Service Monday

The third annual Christmas Eve Candlelight service which is sponsored by the Edmonton YMCA will be held in the auditorium of the Y at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. on Monday Dec. 24. The service will commence at 11:15 p.m.

The service is open to all those who wish to worship on Christmas eve and is not solely for members of the Y.M.C.A. It is emphasized by Y officials.

The Rev. James R. Cox will be the guest speaker for the evening. The Wesley Church Singers will sing.

DELTON BAPTIST CHURCH

CORNER 10th AND 10th AVE. Pastor: REV. H. FLAUGAARD, B.D. 11:00 a.m.—Subject: "HAVE YOU ROOM FOR ME?" 7:30 p.m.—Subject: "CHRISTMAS IN STORY AND SONG"

Christian Science

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST 10th Street and 10th Ave. Sunday Services: 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Subject: "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Forces?"

Worshipers begin at 11:00 a.m. Primary Session at 1:30 p.m. Free Meeting and Lending Library: 8:00 to 9:30 p.m. Free Day 10:00 to 1:30 p.m. except public holidays.

First Baptist Church

102 Ave. and 102 St. Minister: REV. DANIEL YOUNG, B.A. Director of Music Mrs. F. Barber Smith, L.I.S.M.

"The Guiding Star of Life"

Junior Choir's "The First Christmas Night" Male Voice Quartet: "O Holy Night" Senior Choir: "Glory to God in the Highest" 7:30 p.m.

Choral Service

Handel's "Messiah," Part 1 and Christmas Carols

NORWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

(Regular) 10th Ave. and 10th St. Pastor: Rev. E. D. Davis, B.D. 11:00 a.m.—LESSON: "THE SHEPHERDS TEACH US" 7:30 p.m.—"THE CRITERION OF OUR FAITH"

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MUSIC THROUGHOUT THE DAY

STRATHCONA BAPTIST CHURCH

104 St. at 84 Ave. Minister: Rev. George M. Edwards, Chaplain: Mrs. D. S. McEachern 11 a.m. "This Long Looked-For Christmas!"

7:30 p.m. "Candle Light Service" Christmas Story told by Grace McDonald. "How Far" by Mrs. E. J. McEachern. "Glorious Night" by Senior Choir. "Christmas Eve" by Junior Choir.

The Christ Child

Once every year, at Christmas The Christ Child comes again As in the story beautiful, Mide human sin and pain.

Where's the Christ Child enter? The old look up and smile And men are strangely moved to drop Their selfishness awhile. If they could but retain Him And know His inward birth, How gladly would He reign of love Spread over all the earth. —Max I. Reich.

Anglican (Episcopal)

ST. FAITH'S

118 Ave. and 93 St. Rev. L. M. WATTS, Rector

Sunday

8:30—HOLY COMMUNION 11:30—CHILDREN'S SERVICE 7:30—CHRISTMAS EVE

Christmas Eve

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ALL SAINTS CATHEDRAL 1000 101 St. The Very Rev. A. M. Treadwell Dean of Edmonton The Rev. R. H. Grant

4th Sunday in Advent Sunday School—12:15 p.m. 11 a.m.—Sung Eucharist Service 7:30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon Anthem: "He in Tears That Sows" (Hiller) Vernon Barford Organist and Choirmaster

St. Stephen's Church

94 St. at 104 Ave. Holy Communion—11 a.m. Sung Eucharist—11 a.m. Evensong—7:30 p.m. Sunday School—12:15 p.m. CHRISTMAS DAY

Midnight Mass—Christmas Eve at 12 midnight Christmas Day 8:30 a.m.—Subject: "THE COMING OF THE KING" 12:15—Sunday School 7:30—Sung Eucharist "THE COMING OF CHRIST" (Hiller) Canon J. C. Matthews, Rector

McDONALD BAPTIST CHURCH

145 St. and Stony Plain Road Sunday, Dec. 23 9:30 a.m.—HOLY COMMUNION 11:00 a.m.—MORNING PRAYER 7:30 p.m.—EVENSONG

CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN

3010 10th Avenue S.W. at 10th St. Pastor: REV. E. S. OTTLEY, B.A., L.T.S. 8:00 a.m.—HOLY COMMUNION 11:00 a.m.—MORNING PRAYER 7:30 p.m.—EVENSONG

Holy Trinity Church

Rev. 181 St. and 181 Ave. Pastor: REV. E. S. OTTLEY, B.A., L.T.S. 8:00 a.m.—HOLY COMMUNION 11:00 a.m.—MORNING PRAYER 7:30 p.m.—EVENSONG

GOSPEL HALL

Corner 9th St. and 104th Ave. 8:00 a.m.—"The Christmas Story" 11:00 a.m.—"The Christmas Story" 7:30 p.m.—"The Christmas Story"

Edmonton Gospel Temple

800 Street, 104 Ave. A. W. Kautanen, Pastor. SUNDAY—Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. MORNING WORSHIP—11:00 a.m. Rev. Harvey MacIntyre, Guest Speaker

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CITY TEMPLE OF SPIRITUALISM

8010 104 Ave. Sunday, 7:30 p.m.—CAROL SERVICE Friday, 8:00 p.m.—OPEN CIRCLE

The Salvation Army Citadel Corps

(102 Street, 104 Block South of Jasper) Adjutant and Mrs. Ivan Halley, Corps Officers. 10:00 a.m.—"GOD IS IN THE HEAVENS" 1:30 p.m.—"FOLLOWING THE STAR" Special Choral Service featuring the Band and Bandstand with Soloists.

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

106 Street—South of Jasper Minister, Rev. J. MacEachern Miller, M.A., B.D. Director of Music, Mr. Arthur Newcomb, A.T.C.M.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

11 a.m.—"The Gracious Acceptance of a Gift" Anthem: "Hark! A Thrilling Voice is Sounding"—Thomson Solo: "Rejoice Greatly"—Handel Soloist: Mrs. D. McEachern Hallelujah Chorus

7:30 p.m.—"Little Town of Bethlehem" Carol Anthem: "What is This Lovely Fragrance"—arr. Willan Carol Anthem: "The Infant Jesus"—Pietro Yon Solo: "Night of Silence"—Van der Water Soloist: Kathleen Newcomb

8:45 p.m.—Y.P.S. CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT SERVICE Monday, 11:15 p.m.—Y.M.C.A. Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

900 Street and 107 Avenue Minister, Mr. C. G. Stewart, B.A. Director of Music—Mrs. L. Miller, A.T.C.M.

11 a.m.—CHRISTMAS SERVICE Subject: "A PILGRIMAGE TO BETHLEHEM" Anthem: "Hail, O Come Thou Mighty King"—Sullivan Soloist: Mrs. Peter McEachern

7:30 p.m.—CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Innesorgan 7:30 p.m.—Service of Prayers, Miss Jean McTaggart at the Piano

8:45 p.m.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S FRESIDE CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE—11:30 to 12:00 p.m.

STRATHCONA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

11 a.m.—MORNING WORSHIP Subject: "PEACE ON EARTH—WHEN?" Anthem: "Glory to God in the Highest"—Arthur Barrido "Let Us Go Now With the Angels"—Charles Harrison Solo: "Nativity"—Gounod. Soloist: Miss Muriel McIntosh

7:30 p.m.—CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE This service will be conducted by the Young People's Society and will feature the singing of Christmas Carols by the Congregation. Choir and soloists, with a short message by the Minister. All are cordially invited.

Minister: Mr. Capt. J. Herlihy.

WESTMOUNT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

118 Avenue and 106 Street Student Minister, Mr. Malcolm S. MacLean 11 a.m.—SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SERVICE Church and Sunday School Combined 12:15 p.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL

RUPERT STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

76 Avenue and 104 Street Minister, Rev. Wm. B. Brown 11:00 a.m.—MR. HUGH MILLER

Miscellaneous

APOSTOLIC LIGHTHOUSE

97 Street—101A Avenue 10:00 a.m. SUNDAY SCHOOL—BIBLE CLASS 11:15 a.m.

"Was Jesus Christ the Son of God?"

IF SO—JOHN 20:31 7:30 p.m.

"Christ or Christmas?"

TUESDAY, 8 p.m., DEC. 25 "THE BABE OF BETHLEHEM" STORY OF BIRTH OF JESUS TOLD ON THE SCREEN Bring the Children and Enjoy Christmas Light in the Lighthouse You Are Welcome. Pastor: Harold Alcock

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The ROAD AHEAD

By Capt. HARPER PROWSE, M.L.A.

"PEACE ON EARTH!" Those three words have a real meaning this Christmas. For the first time in seven years the beautiful old hymn will be more a statement of fact than a prayer—or a hollow mockery of fact. Christmas in Canada this year will be the happiest since 1918. For many Canadian children it will be the first Christmas they will remember when they had their dad around the home.



Quit Your Skidding



Keep posted on winter road and weather conditions. A safe driver is always aware of his limitations and has chains and other equipment ready to go. Make it a real happy Christmas for everyone by driving and walking with care.

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		MEAT: Coupon 136 now valid

I Saw Today

THE QUESTION

What do you think of the proposed Medical Act, Bill for Edmonton?

THE ANSWERS

HARRY THOMPSON, clerk: The proposed is a good one, and the members of the profession are to be congratulated on providing the city with such up-to-date facilities.

WILLIAM MULDOON, miner: The proposed building will fill a long felt need. Lack of space has prevented many doctors from expanding their practice here.

FRED JENNINGS, carpenter: To have the majority of the medical and dental profession housed

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THE QUESTION

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THE ANSWERS

HARRY THOMPSON, clerk: The proposed is a good one, and the members of the profession are to be congratulated on providing the city with such up-to-date facilities.

WILLIAM MULDOON, miner: The proposed building will fill a long felt need. Lack of space has prevented many doctors from expanding their practice here.

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Last of Talks

The last of a series of talks on "Modern Marriage" by the Very Rev. Dean A. M. Tremblay of All Saints' Cathedral, was given in the church at a meeting in the Y.M.C.A. on Friday night. The series has been sponsored by the Y.M.C.A. committee.

Local news will be found on Page 12.

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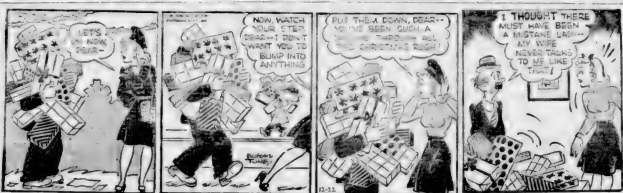
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Gen. Marshall At Chungking To Open Talks

CHUNGKING, Dec. 21.—(AP)—Gen. George C. Marshall, assigned by President Truman to end China's internal strife, reached Chungking today and is expected to meet President Chiang Kai-shek in a series of conferences here in the near future.

PRESIDENT CHIANG and Madame Chiang, who entertained Gen. Marshall yesterday at Nanking, are scheduled to arrive tomorrow. Premier T. V. Soong and other notables—including Gen. Chou En-lai, head of the Chinese Communist delegation to forthcoming peace talks here—will greet Gen. Marshall ceremoniously at the airport today.

Although Chinese Communists have proposed an immediate unconditional truce, and offer to put the civil proposal officially into writing, reports from the north indicate no cessation of hostilities thus far.

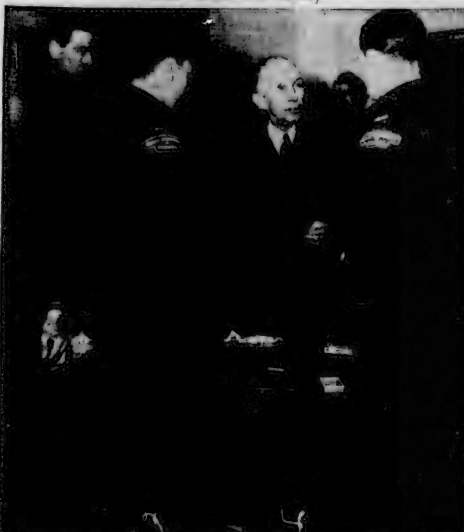
Associated Press correspondent Spencer Hardin is being quoted as saying that the Chinese Communists are expected to meet Gen. Marshall in the near future.

COMMUNISTS, it was announced at a news conference here, were making every effort to consolidate positions in central China province and already were negotiating supplies from farmers and merchants of that area.

Two weeks ago, Communist troops were reported concentrated along the Tientsin-Qingdao railway in Shantung province, government spokesmen told Davis.

Reports from Europe and Asia reveal that tuberculosis is on the rampage in many of the war-torn, enemy-occupied countries. This is a disease which requires no frontier. It is a disease which is spreading in Canada by buying Christmas

Visits Khaki University



The Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner in the United Kingdom, visited Khaki University recently and addressed the students and faculty in Alexander Hall. The school, at Leavenworth, Kansas, is the Canadian Army's answer to the problem of Army personnel who wished to proceed with their interrupted education while awaiting repatriation to Canada.

Youth Testifies No Bodies Seen At "Death Site"

By ROSS MUNRO
AUBURN, Germany, Dec. 21.—(UPI)—Friedrich Wilhelm Lachewitz, whose family was evacuated from the ancient abbey of Abbenay by the Germans, today told a court that he saw no bodies in the ruins of the abbey during his visit there June 8, 9 or 10, 1941.

THE ABBEY WAS THE SITE of the German SS divisional commander's headquarters and scene of the shooting of some of the 48 Canadian prisoners-of-war, the court heard. Lachewitz is held responsible by the prosecution at the Canadian war crimes court.

The boy said he and his friends were allowed by the Germans to move freely about the abbey at the time of the Germans' arrival in the area June 7 until June 11 when a German officer said this could no longer be done. He wanted. The witness said he would have noticed the slightest removal of the ordinary around the abbey.

WHEN THE LACHEWITZ family returned to the abbey on Bastille day, July 14, the boy said he saw German bodies lying in various places. Asked by Maj. Gen. Harry W. Power of Victoria, Ont., and Halifax the court president, whether this was a strong military power, he replied that he saw no bodies. He said that he saw a strong military power, he replied that he saw no bodies. He said that he saw a strong military power, he replied that he saw no bodies.

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Fate Is Uncertain Shattered Europe's Recovery Doubtful When Magnitude Of Desolation Is Surveyed

By WILLIAM L. SHIRER

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LONDON, Dec. 22.—Peace, to be sure, at last reigned over the Europe of our forefathers, and those who survive are thankful that they've survived, and that there will be no more bombs or savage battlefields or concentration camps or Nazi mass murders.

BUT THE COST TO EUROPE in ruined cities, destroyed lives, countless homeless as well as the dead, the mangled, wrecked economies, broken down communications, shattered nerves and the collapsed cultures, staggers the mind of a reporter from a vast land untouched by the war.

Take the picture as it is. The awful desolation of Europe cannot be adequately described. I fear, so that our people who are far away from it, as they were far from the war, can grasp what has happened over here. To make it comprehended one would have to make comparisons with something familiar to you. That is not possible. There is nothing in America comparable to this. One has to see it and live with it to grasp it, and when you have seen it, you have seen and experienced something like a nightmare.

SOME, WITH A glaze back at history, will say that Europe has had its vicissitudes before, and that it survived them all. This is true. The First World War turned Germany and most of Central Europe into a wasteland. But the rest of Europe did not greatly suffer. World War I toppled empires and slaughtered 10,000,000 or 20,000,000 people. But its destruction, and indeed its savagery, was nothing compared to the present.

Surveying the desolated cities, the hungry and starving millions upon millions, and the utter breakdown of society, as we have known it, one asks: Can Europe survive? Can it possibly regain its old place as the nerve center of our world? Or has the center of gravity already moved across the ocean to the New World, or say to some point midway between the United States and Russia? Was it recognition of this that prompted the nations of the world last week to decide to make the house of the new League of Nations in America, instead of Europe, which had housed the old league?

IT WOULD BE HARDY to say that Europe is finished and can never come back. It is true, however, that the Europe we knew and that so many can see no longer in what form its recovery, if there is one, will take place. Great Britain, though broken, is still working mightily and healthily. The people are undeniably tired, but the stamina that carried them so magnificently through the war years is still there. The Russians, that Russia received in her courageous struggle for survival were greater than most American realize. Despite them, she emerged from the war as equal in strength to the United States. What is the old continent of Europe?

Her economy is hopelessly crippled. Its great production centers have been destroyed or for the moment at least, largely out of operation. Its vast network of communications, best in the world before the war, is paralyzed. Millions of people who made the wheels of production and communications go round are dead or crippled from the war. But in time, say in ten years, both production and transportation can be re-

powers which won the war, instead of being around by them, its contribution to Europe's recovery could be immense.

There is, when you stop to think about it, no other strategy which can take the lead in reviving Europe. Not tragic fate, certainly. Germany, at the moment, is no longer a nation, but merely an agglomeration of starved human beings, living in the wilderness, and eating about little except keeping their bellies full and their skins warm. The Germans will need a great deal of strengthening out before they can make any decent contribution to a decent new Europe. The British and Americans are doing their stupid best to quicken the pace. But the attempt will probably fail. If only because, in the end, Russia or France, which have had enough of German aggression, will know how to make sure it fails.

IN FACT, little progress in Europe can be made until the German question, in its fundamentals, is settled. The French, it seems to me, are not nearly so simple in their attitude toward Germany as the White House, the State Department, or British Prime Minister. They do not oppose even a central German administration in Berlin. They merely insist that the future of the Ruhr be settled first.

It is perhaps easy for Americans to forget that the fate of Western Europe depends, in considerable measure, on what is done with the Ruhr. Its coal is the backbone, not only of German industry, but of that of Holland, Belgium, Luxembourg, Italy, Switzerland and France. But Ruhr coal is also a matter of

security to Germany's recent victory. If Germany controls it, she becomes automatically a strong economic power, which in our time means a strong military power. That is why France urges internationalization of the Ruhr under a system which would give Germany the coal she needs for peaceful industry, but make sure that the Ruhr could never again use it as a means of building up military strength.

AFTER ALL, THE French argue, Germany was surrendered hammer in the west by the American conference. The Ruhr is the only part of Germany which was not surrendered. It is unreasonable to ask for its settlement in the west before the Germans in Berlin are given back the central authority over the control of the Ruhr.

Electric Workers
Reject Increase Of 10 Per Cent.
NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—(AP)—The negotiating committee of the United Electrical Workers' Union of America, CIO, last night rejected as "grossly inadequate" a proposal by the General Electric Company for a 10 per cent wage increase for 69,000 UEW members.

General Electric offered the increase in pay earlier Friday when the union called on the company to impose limitations on or to stop production in the plant.

The UEW last week voted five to one to strike after Jan. 1 in plant of General Electric, Westinghouse and General Motors in support of demands for a 30-day pay lock approximately 30 per cent.

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Every Table Can Have a Turkey or Steaks on Tuesday, December 25



Heads will tumble on this farm near Schomberg, Ont., to fill platters for Canadian tables on Christmas. Shirley and Randall Shepherd are feeding a flock of turkeys for festive season. Christmas is on Tuesday, but it won't be "meatless".



It's too late for turkeys to try to dodge. Ontario farms can't meet the demand, but turkeys will be plentiful with shipments from the west supplementing increased production.

Five Killed in Bus-Train Crash



Five persons were killed and 15 others injured in this wreck when an Erie Railroad passenger train struck a bus in Burnham, near Chicago. The accident happened after the bus stopped for another train. When the safety gates were raised, this bus was struck in the rear by the passenger train. The other buses had crossed the tracks safely before the accident occurred. The three buses were traveling from Hegewich, another Chicago suburb, and Hammond, Ind.

Three Chaplain War Heroes



Three chaplain heroes, all winners of the Military Cross, who are stationed at Fort Osborne Barracks, Winnipeg, Man., look over the helmet which H-Capt. L. F. Wilmut, MC, wore during the breaching of the Gothic line in Italy. Captain Wilmut, centre, holds the helmet which was pierced three times by German shrapnel without doing any more damage than taking a little hair off his head and nicking one of his ears. "The angels must have been near me that time," said Captain Wilmut. On the left is H-Major James Porter Browne, who won his MC for exemplary service at Dieppe when with total disregard for his own safety and while subject to continuous mortar and machine gun fire, he repeatedly went to exposed positions rendering every possible aid and assistance to the wounded. His home is at Dauphin, Man. On the right is H-Major Russell Oliver Wilkes, who was born at Hamilton, Ont., and who was awarded the MC for gallantry at Nisoria in Sicily. Under intense enemy fire, Major Wilkes personally evacuated one man to the RAP and returned under fire to assist in the evacuation of two more.

Sparkling New Coventry to Rise From Rubble of Nazi Destruction



Almost completely blown off the earth by German terroristic bombing in the 1940 blitz, the historic town of Coventry, England, will be rebuilt as one of the world's finest modern cities. Photo above shows Coventry after the German raids. At right is a model of the city as it would appear rebuilt according to present plans.



A New Life Begins For Europe's Orphans of War

Housed in an old nunnery at Kloster Indersdorf, Germany, 202 displaced European children, orphans of the horrors of war, are finding a new life under the care of Team 182 of UNRRA. The children, of all nationalities, have suffered deeply from hunger, cold, illness and the loss of their families. Some of the babies were born only recently in concentration camps. They are well fed and clothed at the UNR.

RA refuge, and their returning health and happier outlook are evidences of the kindness and care they are receiving. These exclusive photos by NEA Service-Acme Newspictures photographer Charles Haecker show how the children have recovered from the starved, beaten condition they were in when they were rescued and brought to the nunnery at Kloster Indersdorf.



Similar scene as the gathering above, with youngster at left registering: "Can't a guy have some privacy here?"



Curt Klappholz, who survived 15 concentration camps, assists a younger friend, above in the long-forgotten luxury.

Slick Chick



The "chicken" pictured above is a freak tomato, found by Melvin E. Meyer in his Cleveland, Ohio, Victory Garden. He helped Nature along by providing paper beak, eyes and tail. The "neck" is the tomato stem.

Urges Union



A labor union for MC acts is the ambition of Mrs. Howard Sbert, Cleveland mother of four children. She is convinced there aren't enough hours in the day for a mother to do her full job and "that no man would take on a full-time job of a mother without bring two or three people to help him." She wants to go to Washington with her idea.

British Youth Into the Breach Again



Just as the British nation turned to its youth five years ago to beat the German air raiders so today it is turning to an even younger generation for helping in meeting the primary needs of reconstruction. With winter approaching, fast and with an acute lack of housing throughout the United Kingdom boys between the ages of 15 and 18 are being assigned to building projects as apprentices. They are paid the usual apprenticeship wages while learning the trade and at the same time are re-creating blighted homes. Here the boy builders work on one of the four pairs of houses at Bournemouth.

These Canadians Were Murdered by Germans While Prisoners



CAPT. HARRY SMUCK

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These seven-month premature twins are youngest at the home.



Three-and-a-half-year-olds and the youngsters above take advantage of the extra movement in day light for health at UNRRA's home for orphans.



Older children help with chores, as the girl above is doing.

Service Club Xmas Parties Planned Here

It will certainly be "more fun than a game of hide-and-seek" when the Christmas parties of the Service Club are held here on Saturday, Dec. 23, from 8:30 to 10 p.m. at the Klondike Hotel. The parties are being given for the members of the club, which is made up of former members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force and their families.

NEXT REGULAR Christmas dinner will be held on Dec. 28. It will be the club's annual dinner for the year and will take the form of a dinner-dance. The "20th" club, a group of former members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, will be in charge.

THE ROTARY CLUB also has its annual Christmas dinner and dance at the Klondike Hotel on Dec. 28. Advance information indicates that there will be a large turnout. William Wilson will be in charge of the party.

These two festive service clubs of Edmonton have wound up their affairs for the year and will have a busy time in the new year. On Jan. 1, the Service Club will meet at the Klondike Hotel. The Rotary Club will also meet on Thursday, Jan. 4, at 8:30 p.m. in the Y.M.C.A. Convention hall. The first time in 1946 in the Klondike Hotel will be on Tuesday, Jan. 8.

OPTIMISTS will meet on the 27th of the year at the Klondike Hotel. The Optimists Club will be in charge.

The Road Ahead

Continued from Page Thirteen

When I look back on the year that has just passed, I feel that I have lived a life that is full of meaning and purpose. I have seen the world change around me, and I have seen the people I love grow and change. I have seen the road ahead, and I have seen the light at the end of the tunnel. I have seen the future, and I have seen the hope that lies within me.

LATER ON we had our Christmas dinner. It was a wonderful meal, and it was a wonderful time. We had a lot of fun, and we had a lot of laughter. We had a lot of love, and we had a lot of joy. We had a lot of peace, and we had a lot of happiness. We had a lot of life, and we had a lot of meaning.

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Jap Atomic Equipment Destroyed



Into the sea off Yokohama goes part of 50 tons of Japanese atomic energy equipment dumped overboard by U.S. forces.

The machinery was hauled out to sea.

"Lamb, Lamb, Lamb" Christmas in Britain Is Problem for Wives

Great Underhill, wife of a member of the staff of The Canadian Press in London, writes in a letter dated last September.

By GLEN UNDERHILL
LONDON, Dec. 22.—(CP)—Well, at least my husband knows a man who THINKS his family is going to have a Christmas dinner.

AS FOR US, it looks as if I shall have to make a meal of just what I can get. I shall have to make a meal of just what I can get. I shall have to make a meal of just what I can get.

LOOKING UP the list of the things that I can get, I find that I have to make a meal of just what I can get. I shall have to make a meal of just what I can get. I shall have to make a meal of just what I can get.

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More Efficient Legislation For Co-Ops. Likely

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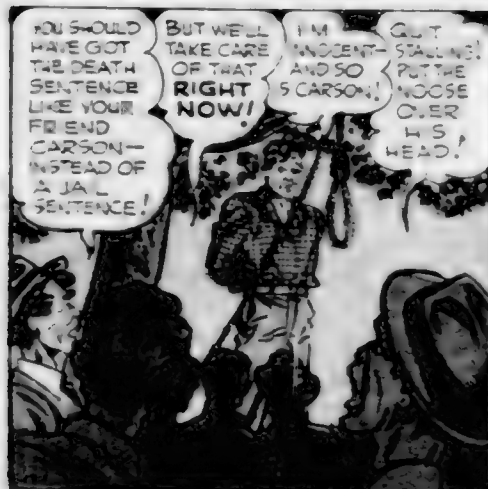
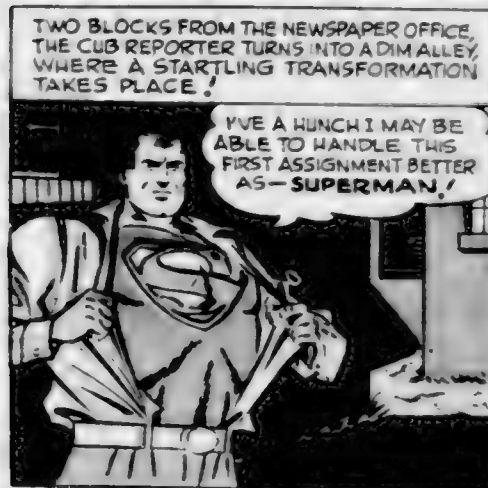
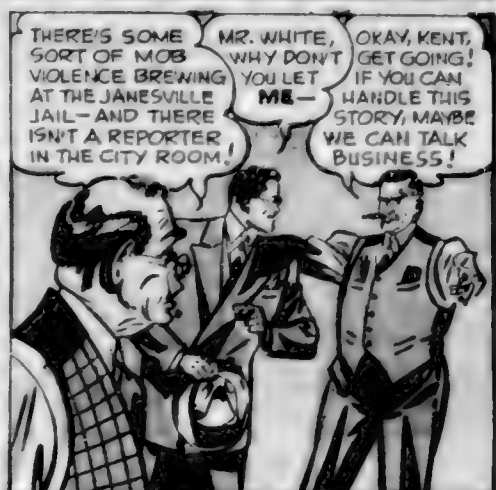
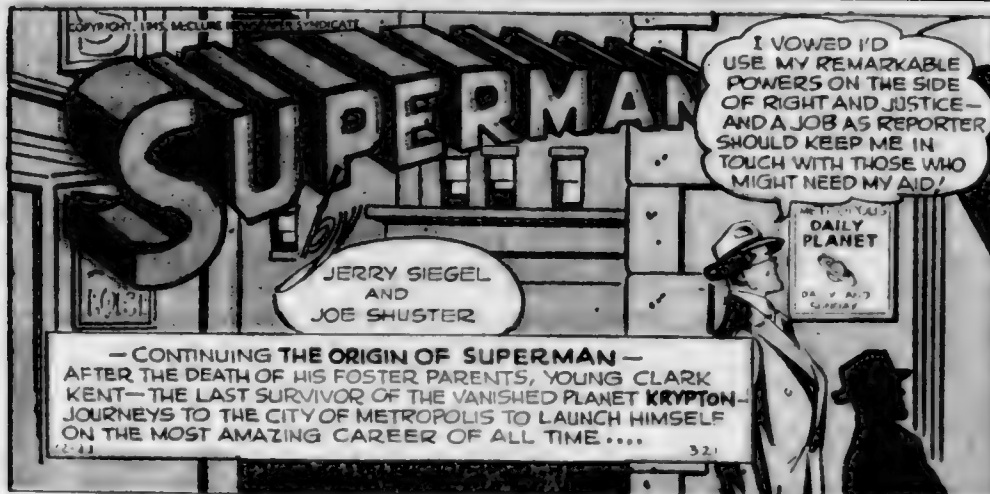
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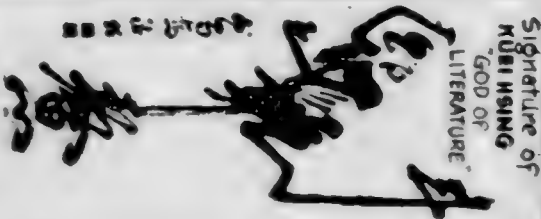
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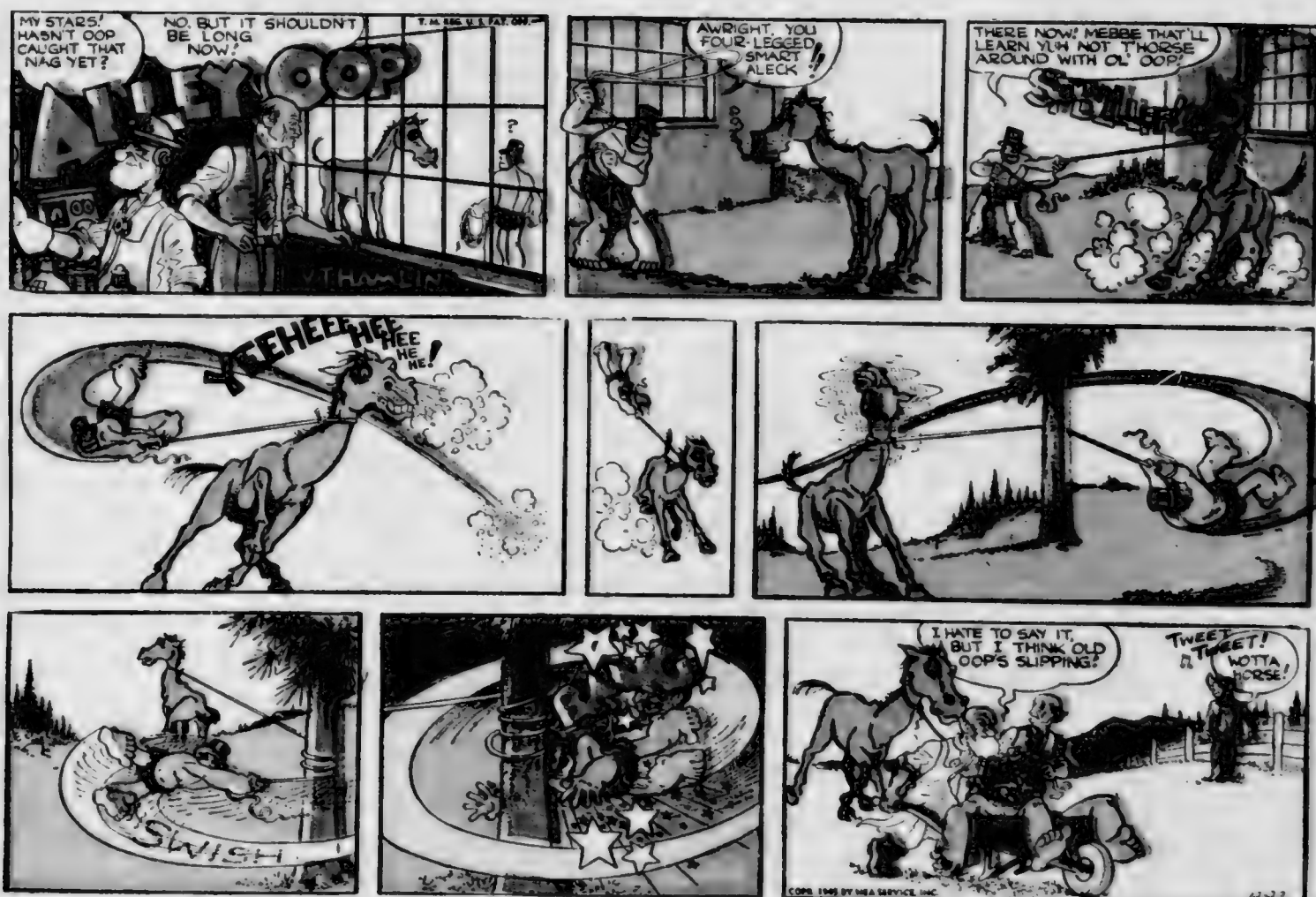
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The Willets

By Williams



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SANTA CLAUS

It was a lucky thing for the Dunce that he was out shoveling snow from the Teenie Weenie walks when Santa Claus arrived. Santa hadn't had a very good report of the Dunce's behavior, and the old man was rather undecided as to whether the Dunce deserved his share of the Teenie Weenie Christmas treat.

On Christmas morning the Teenie Weenies were all up at daylight. While the Cook prepared breakfast, the Dunce and Gogo went out to shovel off the snow that had fallen during the night. They swept off the front porch and had just finished cleaning the snow from the steps when they heard sleigh bells. Up in the sky they saw Santa flying toward the shoe house. The chickadee on which he rode dropped onto the toe of the shoe house, and the jangling bells around the bird's neck brought the Teenie Weenies flocking to the spot.

Santa slipped down off the bird's back and smiled at the Dunce, who stood speechless on the ground below. "Well!" Santa said. "I'm glad to see you working."

"Yes, sir," was all the awed Dunce could say.

The General invited Santa into the house, and from the pack he carried on his back Santa gave each of the Teenie Weenies a present as well as a bag of Teenie Weenie candy as big as a cherry seed. After the presents had been handed out, the Cook brought in a cup of steaming sassafras tea which Santa drank at one gulp. Then the jolly old fellow ran out, leaped onto the back of his waiting chickadee, waved good-by and flew off almost before the Teenie

Weenies had time to thank him for their presents.

Most of the Teenie Weenies were too excited to eat their breakfast, but not the Dunce, for he never misses a meal. He ate eleven corn pancakes, four frog meat sausage cakes, seven Teenie Weenie doughnuts and four cups of tea with nine Teenie Weenie spoonfuls of bumblebee honey in it.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the Teenie Weenies sat down to their Christmas dinner. The tiny table was loaded with all sorts of good food. Besides roast

frog ham there was half an acornful of mashed potato, escalloped hominy, pickled minnow, crawfish salad and a mince pie as big as a 25-cent piece.

The little folks had planned to go skating after dinner, but they were all so full of dinner they decided it was easier to stay in the comfortable house and amuse themselves with the new games Santa had brought. A good many napped during the afternoon, and the Dunce curled up on a caterpillar fur rug and snored right through till bedtime.

THE TEENIE WEEENIES

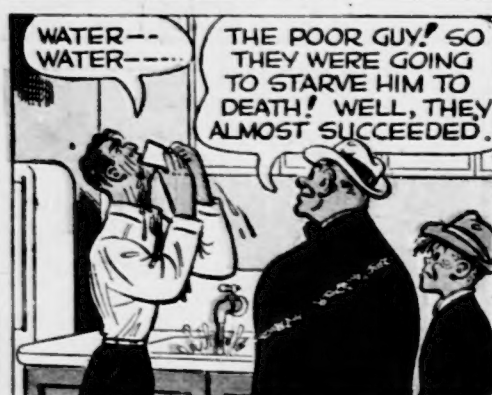
BY WM. DONAHEY



DICK TRACY

CHESTER SQUAD

THEY WERE COMPLETELY FLABBERGASTED WHEN I ROSE FROM THAT BOX AND COVERED THEM WITH A GUN.



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